Title V / MCH Services Block Grant allocated to Nebraska Health and Human Services, Regulation and Licensure is administered within the Office of Family Health. Family Health conducts the statewide MCH assessment, does planning, leads initiatives, develops policies, and administers programs to improve the health of women, infants, children, adolescents and families in Nebraska. Programs within Family Health are: 1) Special Supplemental Nutrition Program for Women, Infants, and Children (WIC), 2) Commodity Supplemental Food Program (CSFP), 3) Reproductive Health, 4) Immunization, 5) Perinatal, Child and Adolescent Health, 6) Newborn Screening, and 7) MCH Epidemiology unit that includes the Pregnancy Risk Assessment Monitoring Survey (PRAMS) and the Child Death Review Team. More information about these programs is at the website http://www.hhs.state.ne.us/fah/fahindex.htm The Children with Special Health Care Needs (CSHCN) program, known as the Medically Handicapped Children's Program, is located in the Home and Community Based Services for Aged and Physically Disabled within the agency Nebraska Health and Human Services, Finance and Support. Under the direction of the CSHCN Director, this division also administers the Disabled Children's Program, Aged and Disabled Medicaid Waiver which also serves children, Early Intervention Medicaid Waiver, Early Intervention Program (coadministered with the Department of Education, Special Education Branch), Medicaid in Public Schools, and the Katie Beckett plan amendment. For more information, see http://www.hhs.state.ne.us/chd/chdindex.htm Nebraska describes Title V as a funding source that supports programs, not a program itself. The Block Grant supports many of the programs within Family Health, as well as other state-level programs/units within the Nebraska Health and Human Services System, including the Medically Handicapped Children's Program, Dental Health, Birth Defects Registry, and the Office of Minority Health, and Office of Women's Health. Title V/MCH also supports community-based organizations, and while the FY 2006 awards are not finalized at the time of this writing, the types of entities previously supported include local health departments, community action programs, and programs administered within Native American Tribes, academic institutions, and hospitals. MCH Planning and Support within Family Health is responsible for the management of the Title V / MCH Block Grant.

MATERNAL & CHILD HEALTH (MCH) MEASURES				
Title V - MCH National Performance Measures	State 2004 Results	State 2009 Goal		
The percent of newborns who are screened and confirmed with condition(s) mandated by their State-sponsored newborn screening programs (e.g. phenylketonuria and hemoglobinopathies) who receive appropriate follow up as defined by their State.	100.0%	100%		
The percent of children with special health care needs age 0 to 18 who receive coordinated, ongoing, comprehensive care within a medical home. (CSHCN Survey)	53.8%	55%		
Percent of children with special health care needs age 0 to 18 whose families report the community-based service systems are organized so they can use them easily. (CSHCN Survey)	79.8%	80%		
Percent of 19 to 35 month olds who have received full schedule of age appropriate immunizations against Measles, Mumps, Rubella, Polio, Diphtheria, Tetanus, Pertussis, Haemophilus Influenza, and Hepatitis B.	82.3%	90%		
The rate of birth (per 1,000) for teenagers aged 15 through 17 years.	17.8	17.5		
The rate of deaths to children aged 14 years and younger caused by motor vehicle crashes per 100,000 children.	NaN	4.4		
Percentage of mothers who breastfeed their infants at hospital discharge.	73.9%	75%		
Percentage of newborns who have been screened for hearing before hospital discharge.	98.2%	99%		
The percent of very low birth weight infants among all live births.	1.2%	0.9%		
Percent of infants born to pregnant women receiving prenatal care beginning in the first trimester.	82.7%	90%		
Title V - MCH National Outcome Measures	State 2004 Results	State 2009 Goal		
The infant mortality rate per 1,000 live births.	6.5	6.4		
The ratio of the black infant mortality rate to the white infant mortality rate.	2.8	2.7		
The neonatal mortality rate per 1,000 live births.	4.1	4		
The postneonatal mortality rate per 1,000 live births.	2.4	2.4		
The perinatal mortality rate per 1,000 live births plus fetal deaths.	*	8		
The child death rate per 100,000 children aged 1 through 14.	22.6	22.4		
Title V - Selected MCH State Performance Measures	State 2004 Results	State 2009 Goal		
Percent of CSHCN seen at CSHCN multidisciplinary team clinics who receive recommended nutritional follow-up services	23.9	90		
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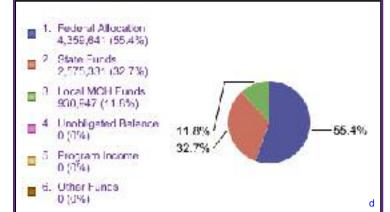
State Population: 1,737,475 Live Births: 25,924

Rates of hospitalization for asthma among children ages 5 - 14.	NaN	*
The rates of minority adolescent births.	77.4	75.6

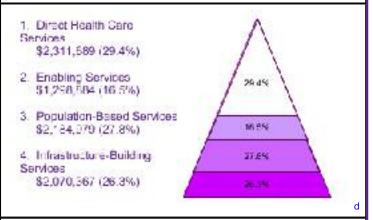
## **TITLE V FEDERAL - STATE BLOCK GRANT EXPENDITURES**

By Number of Individuals Served and Population Group				
Populations Served	Number of Individuals Served	Expenditures FY 2004		
Pregnant Women	3,247	\$1,534,876	19.5%	
Infants < 1 year old	26,391	\$727,271	9.2%	
Children 1 to 22 years old	15,655	\$1,928,461	24.5%	
Children with Special Healthcare Needs	3,503	\$2,884,039	36.7%	
Others	28,277	\$651,643	8.3%	
Administration		\$139,629	1.8%	
Totals	77,073	\$7,865,919	100%	

#### By Source of Funds



# **By Category of Services**



## **HOTLINE CALLS**

# FAMILY PARTICIPATION IN CSHCN PROGRAM

Family members participate on advisory committee or task forces and are offering training, mentoring, and reimbursement, when appropriate.

Financial support (financial grants, technical assistance, travel, and child care) is offered for parent activities or parent groups.

Family members are involved in the 3 Children with Special Health Care Needs elements of the MCH Block Grant Application process.

Family members are involved in service training of CSHCN staff and providers.

Family members hired as paid staff or consultants to the State CSHCN program (a family member is hired for his or her expertise as a family member).

Family members of diverse cultures 1 are involved in all of the above activities.

# FY 2004 Total:

14

18

#### Total Possible: Scale: 0 = Not Met

1 = Partially Met

2 = Mostly Met

3 = Completely Met

# MCH PARTNERSHIP FUNDS FY 2004

Title V Federal-State Block Grant:

7,865,919

Other MCHB Grant Programs:

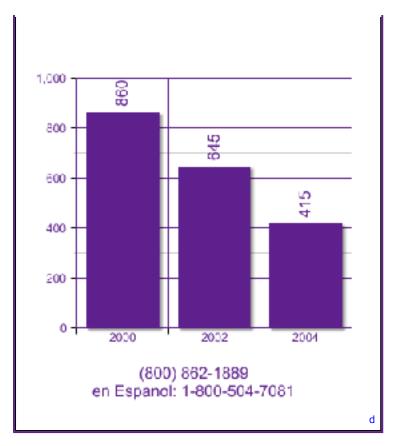
3,134,374

Bioterrorism Grant Program:

3,602,747

Total MCH Partnership Funds:

14,603,040



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